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Correspondence from January 1802.

To

John Wallace Esqr.
Collector of
Trichinopoly

Sir,

Mr Hurdis has directed me to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 18th Ultimo

As the attendance of the Vakeels of Poligars at the company's cacharies has been discountenanced by the Board and Positively prohibited by him in his own districts; Mr Hurdis conceives there will be an impropriety in issuing the orders you request, directing their attendance for the purpose of receiving the Caval fees. But as a mean of saving time and trouble suggests the expediency of your collecting them monthly, and after you have satisfied the demands upon them of transmitting the Surplus to the treasury at Dindigul whence it can be issued to the Poligars to whom it may be due.

As the circumstance of paying the neercooly from the sirkar Treasury has been referred by you to Government, he waits in consequence for their decision in the mean time orders have been issued to the Caroor Tahseldar to Suffer the flow of Water into Kuttay as heretofore.

I have the honor to be
Sir
your very obedt. humble Servant
W Garrow
H. A. Coll.

Madura
1st Jany. 1802

To

Lieut. Col. P. A. Agnew

Commanding

Southern Detachment

Sir

I have been directed by Mr. Hurdis to forward to you the enclosed statement of advances made and balance of pay due to 697 woodcutters lately serving with the Detachment in Shevagunga and dismissed by you on the 22. August Last -

It is to be wished that circumstances had rendered it Possible to have made the documents forwarded in your Favor of the 26.th Sept.r 1801. to Mr. Hurdis more distinct at present. The advances of Cash and rice to the woodcutters in Camp do not appear by the Paymasters agents vouchers to have been made in a greater proportion to the Officers than to the Privates. they have in consequence in this statement been Calculated from them at the same for each individual.

Jemidar 4 Pas.
Duffadar 2 1/2
Private 2.

There pay however has been calculated at the rate recommended by Mr. Hurdis to the ass. chief secretary of Government at the time of levying Them and from the period of their joining at Dindigul (viz.t) the 5th. July) to the 31st. August to which date you have recommended their arrears to be made up - The amount thus due after deducting the advances in Camp & Dindigul, I request you will issue orders to the Paymaster To discharge being Star Pagodas 2009. 35. 67. in order that it may paid to those to whom it may be due.

Bill

I have the honor to enclose further a bill of advances made by Mr. Hurdis previously to the woodcutters leaving

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Leaving Dindigul; the amount of this also being Star Pagodas (1327-36..20-) you will be so obliging as to countersign in order to enable the Paymaster to

From the want of a muster roll it was found impossible to calculate the pay of the remainder as you have suggested from the dates of their desertions being unable to ascertain who had deserted, who had been killed or who had died by sickness.

as however this circumstance may be the means of depriving the families of the deceased of the amount Due to them and the deserters of the pay for the time they served; Justice requires that some expedient be adopted For preventing it; and as it is not practicable to make any distinction, an indiscriminate allowance of one or Two months pay the who Joined Col. Innis may not perhaps be [illegible] too much. On this subject however I am desired to request your opinion to enable Mr. H[illegible] to make out the aggregate statement of expences incurred on this account as called for in your letter to him of the 26. Sepr. last -

1st Jan. 1802

I have the honor to be
Sir &c
W. Farran
A. Col.

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To
William Petree Esqr.
President &c. Members of the
Board of Revenue

Gentleman

I have herewith the honor of forwarding copies of a Correspondence with Mr. David Brown relative to the Recovery of a loan of six hundred Pondicherry Rupees Granted by Mr. Edward Campbell to the mahajanums

on

or Bramins of nerroot.

I inclose also copy and translate of the original bond entered into by the above people for the sum in question the and without calling the attention of your Boa[rd] To the [illegible] tenor of it or the evils likely to be the conse-quence of the neglect of the orders of Government positively prohibitory of such transactions in the country I beg to be favored as speedily as possible with your poi-nted directions on the subject

92. I have the honor — [illegible]
T. B. H.

To David Brown Esq.

Nerroor.

Sir

Inquiry having been made regarding the backwardness of several parts of the cane Plantations, alluded to in your Letter of the 30th Novr. last and it appearing that 33 ½ of the counees of the Ground planted are totally ruined — Mr. Hurdis has directed me to suggest that such quantity of the kind as you think proper may be relinquished to the Inhabitants on their agreement as being the only mode that appears to be adopted

In regard to the advances made by Mr. Campbell for the purposes of the Plantation Mr. Hurdis is Taking the making measures

I have the honor to be
&c. &c.
(Signed) J. V. Garrow
H. A. Col.

Madura
10th Jany. 1802

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To David Brown Esqre.

Nerroor

Sir,

I have the honor to enclose extract of a letter from the Board of Revenue ~~and~~ to request you will forward the original Bond for 600 Rupees entered into by the ~~Narraen~~ Nerroor Bromens in order that they may be applied to for repayment of the amount.

I have the honor to be
Sir &c. &c.
(Signed) Wm. Garrow
Hab. Wr.

Madura
20th. January 1802

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To William Jones Esqre.
Subtreasurer

Fort St. George

Sir,

I have herewith the honor of enclosing first of bills drawn by the Madura Paymaster for (12000) Twelve thousand Star Pagodas on the Military Paymaster General in favor of Revenue.

I have the honor to be
Sir
your very obedient Servant
(Signed) Wm. Garrow
H. A. Collr.

Madura
22d. January 1802

No. 228

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To Wallace Esqre.
Collector

Trichinopoly

Sir,

I have been desired by Mr. Hurdis to acknowledge the Receipt of your letter of the 7th. Instant & to assure you that every consideration shall be given to the claims of the Inhabitants Copsacourch for restitution of Cattle stolen from them upon their identifying the property upon oath.

I have the honor to be Sir your very obedient Servant
(Signed) Wm. Garrow
H. A. Collr.

Madura
22d. January 1802

To Lieut. Colo. P. A. Agnew
Commanding Southern Detachment

Sir,

I have herewith the honor of forwarding a mended statement of pay due to the Woodcutters lately serving in Shevagunga & have to request that you will authorize the discharge of the amount by the Paymaster.

I have the honor to be
Sir,
your most obedient
humble Servant
(Signed) Wm. Garrow
H. A. Collr.

Madura
2d. January 1802

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To
David Brown Esqr.
Nerroor

Sir

your Letter of the 4th. Instant has this moment been received -

I am Directed by Mr. Hurdis to inform you that that he has already replied to Mr. Campbell Letter of the 22. ultimo which he supposes you allude to -

The Tahseldars of Carroor was directed on the 4th ultimo to Collect the balances due by the bramins to Mr. Campbell for advances on account of the Contract he had been previously several times written to on the Subject and the balances would ere this have been Collected had not very material business required his attendance at Darapooram the order you allude to as having been but Just received - was the third on the Subject -

as the part of these balances have been Collected and the remainder Collecting Mr. Hurdis requests you will

forward
The original agreements entered into by these people without delay

Madura
I have the honor to be
&c. &c.
6th Feby. 1802
100 (Signed) W Garrow

To Lieut. Col. P. A. Agnew
Commanding
Southern Detachment

Sir
I have had the honor to receive your letter of the 3rd Instant Giving Cover to an order on Mr. Thursby for Star Pagodas 2000 „ 53. — nothing can I believe now retard the Final Closing of the woodcutters accounts as you wish - the above Sum with the amount advanced to them previously to their Departure from Dindigul and repaid under your authority Being Pags. 1327 „ 36 „ 20 make the Total of the expences incurred on account of these people of Star Pags. 3327 „ 36 „ 73. Three thousand three hundred and Twenty seven Thirty Six fanams & seventy three Cash

I have the honor to be Sir
your obedt. humble Servant
(Signed) W Garrow
H. A. Col.

Madura
7th Feby. 1802

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To
Lieut. F. Walker
Acting A. S. 2 Regt. N. C.

Sir,

I have received your note of the Second Instant and have the pleasure to inform you that Gram with all other discriptions of grain have by a late order been exempted from duty — I have honor to be

Sir your Obt. Servant
(Signed) W. Garrow
H. A. Collector

Madura
11th February
1802

To

S. R. Lushington Esqre

Collr

Tinnevelly —

Sir —

I have the honor to enclose declarations from the Inhabitants of the Village of Coonalloor in the Treemungalum talook —

As the interference of the Puttamundy Tahsildars peons in the Villages subject to this collection is attended with considerable inconvenience — I beg you will be so obliging as direct them to abstain in future from similar acts —

On the subject of the Pauthy Caval ~~which~~ occasion of the present reference — it appears that the fees were ~~[illegible]~~ formerly paid to the Sampatoor Poligar for the specific duty of indemnifying the inhabitants ~~of~~ from loss the terms however no longer ~~existing~~ fulfilled by the assumption of the Pollam — it appears that the lands of the Maniums are composed should revert to the Village — as ~~however~~ a similar reference has been made lately with regard to the Deshacaval Maniums of Mothagum

it may be necessary to await the decision on
the subject — meantime — [illegible] the amount
shall be collected by the Freemen[illegible]
Fabseldars, and if it be determined that the
shall be assigned to your superintendance
the amount shall be remitted to your
Treasury as collected after satisfying the
demands of the Inhabitants in case of
robbery &ca

To 102 -

T. B. Hurdis Esqr

Collector Dindigul

Sir

The late killadar of this place named mohomed abrar khan being indebted to the sirkar the sum of 425 Rupees out of Balance to the late Government of 805 Rupees for the rent of a Garden and having to my repeated demand for payment — returned frivolous and unsatisfactory answers - I had on the 10th Inst. Given him the further time of five days for liquidating the debt which he promised to do - but as I found Yesterday that so far from Endeavouring to procure means for discharging the amount he had been entirely careless on the business - I have directed him to be placed in the Cutwalls choultry until I obtain your further orders on the subject -

2 He has an house in the fort of Madura; and a garden outside for which he has produced a sunned

I have the honor to be
Sir your very obedt
humble Servant
(Signed) W Garrow
H. a Colr

Madura
17th Febr 1802 -

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To Major R. Horne
In Command of
Madura -

Sir

Having occasion to dispatch to Dindigul Treasure amounting to Twelve thousand & odd hundred Pags I beg you will favor me with such a guard as you may Conceive sufficient to its safe Escort thither.

I propose dispatching it the Day after tomorrow in the morning -

I have the honor to be
Sir
your obedient Servant
(Signed) W Garrow

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Madura
17th Febr 1802

J. B. Hurdis Esqr.

Collector

Dindigul

Sir

Herewith be pleased to receive abstract invoice of Treasure, to be dispatched tomorrow morning to Dindigul under a guard of the particular amount in Treasure accompanies also —

I have the honor to be

Sir &c.

W. L.

18th February 1802

Invoice of Coins contained in 37 Bags Dispatched to J. B. Hurdis Esqr. Collector at Dindigul under Charge of an Havildars Guard Commanded by Homam Saib —

	Coins		Cully Ch.	F.	C.
Star Pagodas	314		573.	1.	"
P. N. Pagodas	7610		13194.	5.	10.
Bahadary P.	31		55.	2.	3.
Sultanny Do.	15		26.	7.	3.
Company's Rupees	$1419\frac{1}{2}$		6727.	5.	$5\frac{1}{4}$
New Veroy Ch.	355. 2.	"	426.	2.	$14\frac{1}{2}$
O. Do.	65. 1.	"	67.	6	$4\frac{1}{2}$
Cully Ch.	6. 6.	"	6.	6.	"
Conteroy Ch.	122. 7.	"	169.	1.	$2\frac{1}{8}$
Gopauly f.	1		"	"	8.
Anna Cash	200		"	5.	"
Madura Cash	12		"	"	3.
Total Cully Ch.			21192.	3.	$5\frac{3}{8}$
at 16½ Cully f. P. S. P.		"	12843.	37.	57.

9th March

The Zemindar arrived here today without previously notifying his arrival or obtaining my permission — I consider this

[illegible]

To the Shevagunga Zemindar —

My Friend —

It will be necessary when you have occasion to come out to Madura — to obtain my permission and passport — otherwise the orders I have given for stopping all people without Passports will render it disagreeable to you. Knowing this you will act accordingly. —

Signed W. G.

Madura
10th March 1802

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To Lieut. Col. M. Dyer
Commanding
Madura

Sir,

Having occasion to dispatch some Treasure Amounting to cully chs 16000 odd to the Revenue Treasury at Dindigul may I request you will direct that such guard may be fur=nished as you may deem efficient for its safe escort thither — I shall be at the same time obliged by your informing me of the name of the native none commissioned officer you may order to command —

Madura
10th March 1802.

Sir, I have the honor to be
your very obedient
humble Servant
(Signed) W. Garrow
H. A. Collector

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P. S. I should be glad to have the guard in readiness to proceed tomorrow morning —

(Signed) W. Garrow —

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To J. B. Hurdis Esquire
Collector
Dindigul —

Sir,

Herewith be pleased to receive Abstract invoice of Treasure to be dispatched tomorrow morning to Dindigul under a guard of Sepoys & &c. the particular Account in Hinduwe Accompanies also —

Madura
10th March 1802 —

I have the honor to be
&c &c

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To Lieut. Col. Dyce
Commanding -
Madura -

Sir,

as the Guard applied for in my letter of yesterday's date to be ready this morning has not as yet arrived - I have to request to be informed whether I can be furnished with one tomorrow-morning at 6 o'clock in order that no disappointment may occur -

I have the honor to be
Sir, your obedient humble
Servant
(Signed) Wm. Garrow
H. A. Collector

Madura
11th March 1802
12 O'Clock

To T. B. Hurdis Esquire,
Collector -

Sir,

I beg leave to forward agreeably to your orders Register of Complaints preferred against the Poligars of Madura for extortion & plunder with direction regarding their validity it should have been forwarded before this but [illegible] desirous of granting sufficient time for the petitioners to come forward agreeably to a proclamation published on receipt of your orders -

I have the honor to be
Sir, your obedient
& humble Servant
(Signed) Wm. Garrow
H. A. Collector

Madura
13th March
1802 -

To T. B. Hurdis Esqr.
Collector
[illegible]

Sir

I have the honor of Informing you that acherama Gour Poligar of [illegible]rvalay, one of the Poligars lately transferred to your authority is visibly deranged in his Intellects from severe ill Health and other Causes

as it is at this Time necessary to Receive muchelgas from the

The Poligars regarding them ma [illegible] and the entire Delivery up of arms—

I am to Request your instructions how I may obtain these documents from

The Shervaley Chief, since under the Peculiar Circumstances of his Case he

appears incapable of Granting them—

I have the honor to be
Sir
your obedient humble Servant
W. Garrow
Lt. Col.

Madura
18th. March 1802

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To the Sheragunga Zemindar

I have Received your Letter of the 4th Pungony

And have in Consequence directed that you may be supplied with

the Ropes & Chains belonging to the Madura Pagodas for the fes-

tival at Trepettanum

2. I send Inhabitants of Chocalingapooram Vellacherry—

Patty Totangoody, Villages in the District of nuttums.—

Who have not as yet Received full restitution of their Cattle

&c. Taken away during the trouble of the late rebels. I have to

Request that you will inquire in to the Justness of their appli-

-cation and afford such Redress, as you may find they most

Madura
18th. March 1802

Wm. Garrow
Lt. Col.

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To
T. B. Hurdis Esqr.
Collector
&c. &c.

Sir

I have the honor of informing you that achva-

-ma Goundon Poligar of Shervaly one of the Pollams lately—

Transferred to this Collection by Mr. Collector Lushington is

Visibly deranged in his intellects from sickness & other causes—

For some Considerable time past.—

as it is at this Time necessary to receive from the Madura Poligars muchelgas regarding the Terms on which they shall hereafter receive their Caval Emoluments, as also for the Delivery up of the arms of their Respective Pollams — I request to be informed how, I may act with regard to the Sherrvaliy chief Services under the peculiar Circumstances of his Case, he appears at present to be incable of Granting them.

I have the honor to be
Sir
your Very obedt.
humble servant
W. Garrow
A. a Colr.

Madura
19th March 1802

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To T. B. Hurdis Esqr.
Collector
Dindigul

Sir

I have herewith the honor of forwarding a register of Complaints against the Madura Poligars up to this Date.

It should have been forwarded ere this, but for My having granted the Complaints Ten days to come forward after the date of the Proclamation published on the occasion.

Though the period has expired the Complainants are still Coming in. I have therefore thought it advisable to forward the present Register in the First instance — as it is propable That the Claims against the Poligars may be equal the amount of the reward for the arms delivered up by them — The Second Register shall be sent in a Day or two —

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Where there was any dispute I found it in arbitration But as in General the Poligars have Confessed that either themselves or their predecessors had plundered them — & were willing to pay the Amount on the Complainants swearing to the amount — I have accordingly adopted that mode for Causing restitution —

I have the Honor to be
Sir,
your obedt.
& humble Servant
(Signed) W Garrow
Hd. Collr.

Madura,
20th. March 1802

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To T. B. Hurdis Esqr.
Collector

Sir

The day the Poligar of Madura, saving the Sher=avally Chief, having been assembled I Collect upon them to Deli=ver on a Muchelyga as an assurance to the Sirkar of having — Delivered in the whole of their arms to this the Poligars of oddapa=naignoor Doddapa Naignoor Tulloomgolum Kelacotah Irtti=lnaignoor assented and have Granted the Muchelgas which I — have the honor of forwarding —

The Poligars of Vattaputty Villacoondaa Naig Mellacottah & Naccotah having hesitated & expressed their Doubts but that Inhabitants might have some still Con=cealed without their knowledge — their Granting the Muchelga for the present & Giving them the further period of three Days to Satisfy themselves by a Strict search & to send the remaing arms of any be found to this Cacharee —

Accompanying themselves to Sign the mochilega

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I have the honor to be
Sir
your Very obt
& humble Servant
(Signed) W Garrow
H. a. Colr

Madura
20th March 1802 }

To Mr R. Mabally
Conductor of the Stores
at Madura

~~Sir~~

~~as Considerable inconvenience has accrued from the nontransmission of the Receipts for arms delivered in to the Stores. I have to request no further Time may be lost in Them Despatch as my accounts are impeded by the Delay~~

~~I am Sir
your obedt Servant
W Garrow
H. a. Colr~~

~~Madura
20th March 1802~~ }

To

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Major R. Warne
In Command of
Madura

Sir

1 It being necessary to Clear out a Godown in the Palace For the Reception of the Sirkar Grain, the way to which lies Trough a Storeroom belonging to the Garrison (the keys of which are I believe in the Mainguard) I request, you will direct that they May be furnished to me tomorrow morning, in order that my servants may be enabled to pass through it –

2 Should you however object to it, or Conceive yourself unauthorized to furnish Them – I Request you will inform me In ordered that the necessary inference may be made

Madura
20th March
1802 }

I have the honor to be Sir,
your Very obedient
humble Servant
(Signed) W Garrow
H a Colr

To Lieut. Col. A. Dyce 114

Commanding
Madura

Sir

In order to prevent any inconvenience or accidents that may occur From the Great throng of People assembled at the present festival a guard of sepoys will I conceive be necessary to attend the Processions for the several ensuing nights & which I shall be obliged by your Directing to be furnished for the Purpose —

The same Reasons will I believe Induce me to Trouble you For a Guard at Alighary in a day or Two but as I am at present uncertain whether it may be necessary - I shall have the honor of applying to You in Time if it should be Com so —

I have the honor to be
Sir
your very obed.t humble Servant
(Signed) W. Garrow
H. a. Coll.

Madura
13th April 1802

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To
Lieut. Col. Dyce - Commanding
Madura

Sir

From the very Great concourse of People to the present festival Which is likely to increase at ~~Algury~~ alagurr I have to Request you will oblige me By directing a Guard to proceed thither so soon as to enable them to be present at the commencement of the Procession from thence to this Place their Presence will be necessary - not only to Preserve ~~quiet~~ quiet, but to escort a small Quantity of Treasure —

I have the honor to be
Sir
your very obedient humble
Servant

Madura
15th April 1802

116 (Signed) Wm. Garrow
H. a. Coll.

To Lieut. Col. A. Dyce
Commanding
Madura

Sir

May I request you will direct I may be furnished with a Guard for escorting Treasure to Dindigul amounting to about 11,000 Pag.s - I shall be Glad to have it proceed about Two o'clock this afternoon —

I have the honor to be
Sir
your very obed.t
humble Ser.t

Madura
19th April
1802

(Signed) W. Garrow
H. a. Coll.

To T. B. Hurdis Esqr.

Collector of

Dindegul &ca.

Sir

Here with be pleased to Receive Abstract invoice of Treasure to be dispatched to this evening under a Guard of Sepoys the Particulars account in Hindevi accompanies also

I have the honor to be
Sir
your obedt. humble
Servant

Madura
19th. April 1802

(Signed) W. Harrow
J. H. A. Col.

Invoice of Coins Contained in 48 Bags Dispatched to T. B. Hurdis Esqr. Col. of Dindegul under Charge of Vincatachilla Naig—

	Coins	Rate	C. Chl.
Star Pagodas	194	at 16 1/2 C. fas. pr. S. Pags.	320. 1 ..
P. N. Pagodas	4019	at 13 3/4 Do. pr. P. N. P.	5526. 1 4
Bahadry Pagodas	1		1. 7. 13
Sultauny Do.	1		1. 7. 13
Company &ca. Rupees	10633		5012. 6. 15 6/2 /16
Cully Chucrums	7039		7039 .. ..
Contiray Chucrums	43. 5.		60. 2 8 5/2 /16
Gopauly Chucrums	19. 6.	at 2 Gopauly fs. pr. C. fs.	9. 9. ..
New Viroy Chs.	97. 4		107. 9. 4 5/16
old Ditto	107. 3.		111. 4. 10 10/16
Madura Cash	14/6.	at 64 Cash pr. Cul. fs.	15 2. 14 4/16
		Total Cully. Chl.	18206. 3. 3
	at 16 1/2 Cully	fanams pr. Star Po.	11334. 5. 7

No. 20

T. B. Hurdis Esqr.
Colr. &c.

Sir

In obedience to your Directions I have the honor to forward a Malabar specimen of my handwriting & to be Sir

your obedt. humble Servt.

Madura
20th April 1802

(Signed) W. Garrow
H. A. Colr.

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To

S. R. Lushington Esqr.
Collector
Tinnevelly

Sir

I beg leave to enclose Copy of declaration from the Mahajanungul of Coppunuttum Complaining of the agression of the moneagar of Verupatty in the Nadamungalum talook in beating the Inhabitants and endeavouring to extract from them more than their dues.

It appears that some of the Inhabitants of the former Village which is in the Ameer Talook had agreed to cultivate some land in Verapatty upon terms specified upon Cawl — that they paid the amount agreed for the moneagar however having called upon them for a further payment contrary to the Cawle the Inhabitants refused and suffered in consequence the aggression of Complained of. Will you be so obliging as direct the Maunegar to desist from Similar interference in future since redress may always be obtained from a reference to you should the inhabitants refuse to pay

pay what is right

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I have the honor to be
Sir
Your very Obt. humble
Servant
(Signed) W. Garrow
H. A. Collector

Madura
23. April 1802

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Madura 24th. April 1802

To the Zemendar of Shevagunga — I have received your address of the 10th. Instant and understand its Contents

I enclose copy of a declaration from andy Collery of Keelvalanoo — in Containg an Account of a mortgage transaction between his father Sheddabuddy and the late rebellious Puttakar of Warapoor named Kanandlaig which the present puttakar appears unwilling to abide by — it will be ~~appr~~ proper therefore if you will direct the business to be properly investigated & cause such Justice to be done to the party Complaining as he may appear to deserve

(Signed) W. Garrow

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H. A. Collector of
Madura

To the Coml. officer of Madura & of the
2d. Battn. 16th. Regt.

Sir

I have received an offical address from the acting Fort adjutant of this Place by your directions regarding the Claim of a Sepoy to some Cows — stolen from him. I enclose a Copy. On Matters of duty or official Correspondence — I request the Communication may be from your self since it is with the Commanding —

offiar done I conceive myself authorized to correspond—

I have the honor to be
&c. &c. &c.

Madura
26th April 1802

(Signed) W. Garrow
H A Coll.

To the Coll. of Dindigul &c. &c.

Sir,

1 I have the honor of forwarding to you declaration and Copy of a Bond delivered in by a person of the Name of Shitlolo who In Conjunction with his father Sugalolla an invalid Subidar has had Money Dealings to a considerable amount in this Country in the time of the Former Government —

2 The present transaction is one of those usurious nature of which has before been presented to your attention the bond is for Crs. 300 granted by the Soondrabaundy Mahajanungul in the Name of Soogalolla — the Interest is at 3 ℔ Cent & Munsam payable at a certain period on failure of which they are bound to Maintain a peon at the Rate of 1 fanam ℔ Day with other until payment be made —

3 As I have Reason to believe that there are many outstanding debts in this Country of a similar Nature & that the whole are In expectation of a Decision in the present instance for Guiding Their conduct — I have conceived it most adviceable to Request Your orders whether any & what attention should be Given to the Present Case in order that I may be enabled to decide in the event of Future references of the kind —

I have the honor to be
Sir,
your Very obedt. humble Servant

Madura
28th April 1802

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(Signed) W. Garrow
H A Coll.

To the Coll. of Dindigul
Sir,

I have the honor of laying before Copies of a declaration and Bond presented to me by a person of the Name of Shitlolla of this Place — who in conjunction with his father an invalid Subidar of the name of Soogalolla have hiritofore had money concerns to a considerable amount in this Country —

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To the Collector of
Dindigul

Sir

I have the honor to forward abstract of Field allowances Charged by the Commanding officers of this place for grounds escorting Treasure From Madura to Dindigul.

The Copies of my requisitions for their Company and I shall Be obliged by your authority for Discharging the amount or by your Transmission of the same from Dindigul.

I have the honor to be
Sir

your Very obedient
humble Servant
(Signed) Wm Garrow
H. A. Colln

Madura
[illegible] May 1802

2 The application made by him is for the recovery of 300 Chucrums borrowed by the Mahajanungul of Soondrapaundy from his father at 3 ℔ Cent ℔ Mensum or 36 ℔ % ℔ annum, The Bond contains a further obligation on the part of the Debtors to maintain a peon at one fally fanam ℔ diem with other contingencies in the event of Failure on their parts, to discharge the amount by the term ~~prescribed~~ prescribed

3 As I have Reason to believe that there are many outstanding Debts in this Country of a similar usurious nature, and that the parties are waiting for the Decision on the present application to Guide their conduct I have conceived it most advisable to request your instructions, whether any & What attention should be Given to it, in order that I may be enabled to decide in cases of the same kind in future —

I have the honor to be
Sir
your very obedt.
humble Servant

Madura
30th April 1802 } signed W. Garrow
H. o Coll.

124

To
The Commanding Officer
of Madura

Sir

I have directed the sum of 660 C. Ch. to be advanced to the Vakeel of the Battalion in Exchange for four hundred S Pagodas in ~~rupees~~ which he informs me is ~~the~~ the amount required

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Obedient humble
Servant
Signed W Garrow
H. a. C.

Madura
3 May 1802

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To The Collector of Dindigul

Sir

Having had reason to suspect that a considerable number [of] arms had been concealed in the ^perputtai^ Village of Cunhacatty in the Manaparai Talook — and that a noted freebooter of the name of Chokalinga naig ~~had been~~ ^was the^ chief person concerned — I took the necessary measures for the apprehension of himself & his chief accomplices ~~and whom I have~~ and am happy to inform you that it has led to the discovering ~~& seizure~~ ^a great part^ ~~& delivery~~ of ~~the whole~~ of the arms list of which I have the honor to forward.

These arms were concealed ^in pits or^ in the hills of Shiramally in parts almost inaccessible ^by a pitch in some^ but the roots of trees — Some however were found in the different Villages where

The grandfather of the present man who was a Zendal

— and assumed the title of Poligar which none but his own adherents & properly acknowledged, as he had no pretension to the [illegible] but was in effect an overgrown Ryot of the Kutuklai Districts — [illegible] &

The present man [illegible] himself still more powerful & dreaded under the late Government inasmuch that it looked upon him as the greatest check upon the Colony rents & in consequence upheld by entertained his assistance in these & [illegible] thither to enforce the payment of the Revenues — this adherents &

5

a further search is still making —

3 Chokalinga Naig had ~~[illegible]~~ for sometime acquired a great ~~deal of~~ influence in the place and being able to collect between three and four hundred men rendered himself & family formidable to the Country by his depredations. — ~~[illegible]~~ & are still in the villages in the situation of ryots — but their present conduct leaves room to judge that they only waited for an opportunity to return to their habits of depredation & rebellion. —

6 From this view of his character I conceive that the peace of the Country depends upon his removal. & and be not ~~[illegible]~~ the punishment of transportation awarded against such as might ~~[illegible]~~ be found with arms

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ensue after the revolution
in the Government
Proclamation published
by Lieutenant Col Agnew
when in the Southern
Provinces. ~~I have both~~

7 I had forgotten to
mention that Chokekey-
naig has 3 small forts
in different places ~~&~~
which I have caused
his own adherents to
destroy without ~~and~~ loss of
~~favours~~ & the entire
demolition of them
shall ~~be done~~ take
place ~~a~~ under my personal
inspection as I shall
lose no time in proceeding
thither.

8 I request to be favored
with your instructions
regarding the disposal
of ~~the~~ Chokalinga
naig & the others
concerned

reward as a punishment for
his behaviour

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concerned in the same.
whose names are noted
in the margin, and

I have the honor
to be
Sir
&c &c &c
W. E. H. C.

Madura 6th May 1802

&
also whether any reward
may be granted to
Narrain Reddy who gave
the information & assisted
very materially in the
detection of the inhabitants
who have committed murder

P. S. The Declarations of the parties which are now translating shall be forwarded by this evening's Tappal

126 —

To the Collector of
Dindigul

Sir,

I enclose abstract of Batta which has been presented to me for payment by the Commanding officer of that place, and request to be informed where the payment may be made — I enclose also copies of my requisitions to that officer —

I have the honor to be
Sir, your very Obedient
humble Servant

Madura
7th May 1802 } 127 (Signed) W. Garrow
T. C. A. Collector

To the Coll.r of Tinnevelly
Sir

I have the Honor to enclose Declaration of the Mahajanum gul
Horayoor & co which detail the commission of a very atrocious murder between

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The bounds of the Trimungalum & Pullamadoy Talooks - and to request

that you will be so obliging as to assist in the search after the perpe-
-trators in the Village of Achangolum & its vicinity - Should they be there
I have directed the same to be made in these districts -

The Murderers appear to have acted with considerable
caution in burying the bodies upon the Bounds so as to embarass enquiry

I have the Honor to be Sir,

Madura
8th May 1802 }

your obediently Servant
(Signed) Wm Garrow
H. A. Colr.

128

Cuddakutty 10th May 1802

To Lieut. Col. A Dyer
&c &c

Sir,

I have received your favor - I am extremely
concerned at the loss you have sustained - The Tahsildar
reported to me the circumstance this afternoon - & I have
given such directions as shall if possible bring the offenders
& the Property forward. My utmost exertions shall be used
& I trust they will be attended with effect

I have the honor to be
your very obedient humble Servant
(Signed) William Garrow
H. A. C.

P.S. If there be grounds for suspicion upon any person
of the adjacent Villages I shall be much obliged by your com-
-municating them - as it may facilitate the Investigation. The cava-
-liars & Nautum Kars have been apprehended - & the Culprit if
ascertained shall be sent to you without further reference -

(Signed) Wm Garrow
H. A. Collector

29

To

The Commanding Officer of

Madura

Sir,

I shall be obliged by your directing a guard to be furnished for conveying about Star Pagoda 8,400 — to Dindigul to morrow morning at 6 oclock —

I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your Obt. humble Servant
(Signed) W. Garrow
H. A. Collector

Madura
13th May 1802.

129

To

The Collector of

Dindigul

Sir,

Herewith be pleased to receive Abstract invoice of Treasure to be Dispatched this morning under a Guard of sepoys & the particular account in Hindure accompanies also —

I have the Honor to be
Sir,
Your Most obedient
humble servant
(Signed) W. Garrow.
H. A. Collector

Madura
14th May 1802.

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Invoice of the Coins Contained in 42 Bags Dispatched to the Collector of Dindigul under Charge of on Naig guard Commanded by or Rama Naig

	Coins	Rate	Cully		
			C. chk.	fs	as
Star Pagodas	205 "	at 16½ Cully fan. p. Star Pagodas	338	2.	8.
Sultauny Bahadury Pagodas	10 "	at 17 3/16 Do p. S. & B. Pagodas	17.	8.	2.
P. N. Pagodas	3080 "	At 13¾ Do p. P. N. Pagodas	4235.	"	"
Company Va Rupees	1240.4½		5847	8.	5.
Canteroy Chuckrums	24 "		33	2.	6¾
New Veeray Do	32.4 "		35.	9.	½
Old Do Do	85.1 "		88	4.	3¼
Cully chuckrums	3296.9		3296.	9.	"
Gopauly Do	6.8.	At 2 Gopauly fan. p. Cully fan.	3.	4.	"
Chiller Cash	15789.	At 64 Cash p. Cully fan.	24.	4.	½
		Cully chk.	13921.	1.	7¼
		at 16½ Cully fan. p. Star Pagodas	8437.	2.	48

Madura
14th May 1802

(Signed) W. Garrow
H. a. Collr.

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To
Lieutenant C. Dyce
2 B. 16th Regiment
Madura

Sir

I transmit in Conformity to your application an Order to the Trimungalum Sherestadar exempting from duty the Cloth you have Ordered at Cornattoor for the Service of the Battalion

I have the honor to be
Sir Your Obedient Servant
(Signed) W. Garrow H. a. Collector

Madura
3 June 1802

131

To the Commanding Officer of

Madura

Sir,

I Shall be obliged by your directing me to be furnished with a guard to escort S Pagodas 41,000 and odd to the Treasury of the Dindigul Collector by day break tomorrow

I have the honor to be Sir

Your Obedient Servant

(signed) W Garrow

M. a Collector

Madura

Madura
13th June 1802

82

To the Collector
of Dindegul

Sir

Nos. 1 & 2 are abstract Invoice of treasure dispatched this day under a guard to the Dindegul treasury the former to the Amount of this Collector in full of the Settlement for this year in Cash – the latter is Composed of sundry sums not as yet brought to Account part of them being the proceeds of the sale of the Panacolum Paddy in this place

The Hindure abstracts & particulars accompany

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Obedient humble Servant
Signed) W. Garrow
M. a Collector

Madura
14th June 1802

132

To the Collector of Dindegul

Sir,

N. 1 & 2 are invoices of Treasure dispatched this day under a Guard of Sepoys to Dindegul the Hindwee account of Particulars accompany also I have the honor to be Sir your obt. ~~Servant~~

(Signed) W. Garrow
M. A. C.

Madura
14th June 1802

133

To the Collector
of
Dindigul

Sir

I have this day applied for a Guard for the purpose of escorting to your Charge at Dindigul - the Cachauttly Naig & his adherents with others who have at several periods been Confined for murder a particular list of their Names is inclosed - and I shall give such instructions to the officer Commanding the party, as may be necessary for their safe Conduct

I have the honor to be
Sir Your very Obedient humble
Servant
(signed) W. Garrow
M. A. Collector

Madura
15th June 1802

134

To the Collector
Dindigul

Sir

I enclose Copy correspondence with Lt. Col. Dyce on the subject of a Robberry committed at Sekunder maly in his tent

2 Every exertion has been made for the recoverry of the lost property, and the Cavalgars of the adjacent Village have been apprehended and Confined unless they should assist in restoring it and pointing out the persons who might have been Concerned in

in the robbery

3 The utmost inquiries of the Tahseldar and of the Cavalgars themselves have been attended with little effect and as the Cavalgars have offered to become responsible for the amounts rather than be further molested — I have conceived it my duty to request your instructions whether they shall be further detained especially as Lieut Coll. Dyce has not as yet communicated whether his have reason to suspect them or any others, to been implicate —

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your very Obedient humble
Servant

Madura
15th June 1802

Signed W. Garrow
H. A. Collector

135

To the Commanding officer of
Madura

Sir,

It being found necessary to dispatch to Dindigul about 25 prisoners at present in confinement in Madura I have to request your furnishing such a guard as may be deemed sufficient for their safe conduct —

as the Nature of their crimes and connexions, renders it very necessary that they should be particularly well looked after, I would suggest the expediency of placing them in charge of a native commissioned officer to whom I will furnish the necessary instructions. I shall be obliged by your directing the Guard to be

present

present at the Cutcharee in Madura at Daybreak tomorrow morning—

I have the honor to be Sir,
Your Obedient Servant
(signed) W. Garrow
H. A. C. of Madura

Feathcollum
15th June 1802

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To

The Collector of
Dindigul

Sir

Having received from the agent for Cavalry supplies a letter a Copy of which accompanies regarding the probable quantity of Grain I might be enabled to furnish from this Country for the 2 Regt. of Cavalry now stationed at Sachenort I have made the necessary inquiries and hope to be able to collect in time 1500 fifteen hundred Madura Cullums of that articles being 30 Garce or 2. Months Consumption this supply may be relied on and I have annexed a memorandum of the Probable expences of Carriage to the above Station which you will observe makes the average Expence and value of the grain on its arrival at the Station Cully Ps 13 15 15/16 it will of course be left to the option of the agent to reject the supply from such of the districts the distance of which may appear to involve too great expence in Carriage

The earlier the delivery Commence the better it may be procured and it will be more expedient to supply the whole quantity at once in order that the attention of the inhabitants may not be diverted from their Cultivation by being

being called off for the purpose of supplying the quantity in the several Months ensuing

I shall be obliged by your instruction when the delivery shall commense should it be thought proper to purchase it and whether any particular arrangement be necessary for this purpose —

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most very obedient
humble Servant
(Signed) William Garrow
H. A. Collector

Madura
18th June 1802

Memorandum of Grain to be supplied from the Madura Country at Tathanoor Containing the Total value & expence of carrying the amount

Names of the Tallooks from whence to be dispatched	No. of Callums of Grain to be supplied by each Talook	No. of Bullocks loaded at 1½ Callum per load	Distance from Seckanoor in Carthams of 7½ miles per Cartham	Rate of Carriage at 1 C. per Bullock load	Rate per Callum	Total value	Expence of carriage & Value
	M. P.	Bullock	Cartham	C. C. f. a	C. f.	C. C. f. a	C. C. f. a
Maudeolum talook	300	200.	12.	240. .	6	180.	420.
Tremungalum do	300	200.	11.	220. .	6	180.	400.
Auneoor do	450	300.	10.	300. .	6	270.	570.
Melloor do	450	300.	14.	420. .	6¼	281.2.8	701.2.8
Total	1500	1000	.	1180. .	6 1/16	911.2.8	[illegible]091.2.8

N. B. The average value of Grain per Garce agreeably to the above Statement at 50 Madura Callum per Garce is C. C. f. a 69.7.5/16 or S. Pag. 42 . 4 . 10

(Signed) William Garrow
H. A. Collector

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Sir,

on your explaining that the bullocks Mentioned in your letter of this date be purchased for your own private use I shall give directions for Relieving you from the duty demanded upon them –

I am Sir,

your obed^t.

(Signed) W. Garrow

H. A. Coll^r.

Tillacolum
5th July 1802
To Captain Brand

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To the Commanding officer of Madura

Sir,

The present Indent for sheep monthly being irregularly fixed upon some Villages in the Maudcolum & Tremunga-lum Talooks that are unequal to the supply – I have to request – that the orders furnished by me some months ago on those talooks may be withdrawn and forwarded to me –

In lieu thereof I forward fresh orders for a similar amount Vizt. 750 I have to request that you will direct the Butcher not to call upon the Villages for in future supplies of two or three months in arrears which has of late been represented to me to have happened, but either to Take them as they become due or relinquish his demand until the next Month –

Tillacolum
11th July 1802

I have the honor to be
Sir,
your obed^t. Ser^t.
(Signed) W. Garrow
H. A. Coll^r.

To

The Quarter Master of the

2d Regiment

Sir,

N. C. Cavalry

Tachenoor

agreeably to the requisition of Captain Walker the General agent, I have this day directed the transmission of him Garce of Grain from the district of Aneoor to the 2d Regiment at Tachenoor—

The Officer will superintend the delivery of the Grain to your charge & to whom I shall be obliged by your Granting a Receipt in Triplicate for the quantity agreeably to the Regulations—

I have the honor to be
Sir,
your most obedient Servt.
(Signed) W. Garrow
H. A. Collector

Madura
16. July 1802.

To

Charles Wetherell Esqr.
Paymaster

Madura

Sir,

The late Paymaster Mr. Thursby having committed to my custody, two persons of the names of Bootiah and Appajee Row on charges of Embezzlement of Stores &c. I shall feel obliged by your informing me, whether any proof may have been brought forward, him, to justify their longer imprisonment, as otherwise I conceive it would be most advisable to release them upon their giving security for their appearance when called upon by you

I have the honor to be
Sir
your very obedient Servant
(Signed) W. Garrow
H. A. Collector Sitted Privately

Madura
16. July 1802.

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To the Shivagunga Zemindar –

In the month of Puratashy last a rubbery was committed by three collerees belonging to congaputty in the Melloor Talook and two others belonging to Sinnah-putty in your Zemindarry

A marchant comming through it to Melloor – I have seized the three collerees belonging to congaputty & mean to punish them – and it will prove a very great comfort to your inhabetants by doing the same ~~to~~ with those of Sinnah putty who associated with them –

(Signed) W. Gurrow
H. a Collector

Madura
16th July 1802

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To

The Quarter Master
of the 2d Regiment H. C. C.

Sir,

Tachenoor

Having received from the General agent of Cavalry supplies an immediate requisition for nine Garce of Grain. I have this day directed that quantity to be dispatched to your charge at Tachanoor from the district of Aunecoor – The Bearer will superintend the delivery of the Grain, & in order to prevent confusion & trouble I would beg leave to suggest that the native conicoplies who receive charge as it is measured out may be allowed to grant daily receipts for the quantity delivered in which being finally presented to you – you will be so good as grant in lieu thereof a General receipt in Triplicate for the whole agreeably to the Regulations

I have the honor to be
Sir,
your Obedient Servant,
(Signed) W. Garrow
H. A. Collector

Madura
16th July 1802

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To
The Conductor of Stores
Madura

Sir

I request you may Take charge of the Gunpowder as directed by the Commanding officer with as much expedition as possible – since the place in which it is at present kept is wanted immediately –

I am Sir your obedt. St.
Signed / W. Garrow
H. A. Collr.

Madura
7th July 1802

To the Commanding Officer
of Madura

Sir,

1 As it appears absolutely necessary to prevent the entrance of stray cattle in to the compounds of persons resident in the Fort, I am desirous with your concurrence to carry into effect a measure which may operate to that purpose —

2 I would erect a pound near the cutwall choultry in which all stray horses, asses & cattle shall be enclosed until redeemed by payment of a fine, which can be inserted in a public notification to be published on the occasion —

3 But as the followers & families of the troops in Garrison, are in possession of animals of this description the seizure of which will, by distressing them, cause numberless complaints to you — I would suggest that they be warned to keep them carefully tied up, should you have no objection to the place which I am confident will put a stop to a very great annoyance,

I have the honor to be
Sir,
your obedient humble Servt.
(Signed) W. Garrow
R. A. Collector

Madura
17th. July 1802.
Lieut. Col. Dyce
&c. &c.

144

To the Commanding Officer
of Madura

Sir,

I am sorry that there should be cause for the present reference — I have received a declaration delivered in this instant by a person of the name of Gopaul Kistnen a Bramin resident in the town of Madura —

It contains a complaint against two Sepoys of the Battalion one of whom he can point out tho ignorant of their names

for insult and abuse ending in violently compelling him to go to the mainguard to answer a complaint against him before the Subadar there —

It states further that the substance of the [illegible] was the property one of the Sepoys claimed in a Slave who had been purchased by Gopaul Kistnons father and since maintained by himself — and that the Subadar detained him at the mainguard endeavouring to extort from him an obligation for transferring the Slave to the Sepoy upon his identifying upon oath that he (the Slave) belonged originally to his own father — but that on his obstinate refusal he dismissed him

I am willing to believe that this may be an exaggerated Account of the transaction and as one side only has been heard tis likely it may prove so [illegible] to request you will oblige me by directing an investigation in to it and if it shall be substantiated I am confident you will mark with your severe displeasure so flagrant a breach of Good order

Gopaul Kistnon and his Evidence shall be directed to attend when you please & if there be any complaint against him — I shall have no hesitation in enquiring in to it and affording redress —

Madura
17th July 1802

I have the honor to be
Sir
your obedient Servant
(Signed) W Garrow
H. A. Collector

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To

Lieut. Colo. a Dyce
Commanding. Madura

Sir

As considerable time has intervened since the loss of the property mentioned in your letter of the 3rd May last without any information having been obtained regarding it, I have it in command from the Collector to request you will notice as soon as possible the value of the articles, and to favor me with a list of the villages &c to which your servants and their families formerly belonged, that assistance as far as practicable may be afforded the Cavalears in detecting the offenders

If from what you may have seen or heard there be grounds of suspicion upon any one, I shall be obliged by your Communicating it, as it may possibly lead to a discovery

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your very Obedient Servant
(Signed) W. Garrow
H. A. Collector

Pillacolum
29 July 1802

146 —

To the Conductor of Stores

Sir

I requested you in my letter of ~~the~~ last ~~[illegible]~~ to Furnish me Triplicate receipt for the Gunpowder delivered into Store. I have to beg you will comply with that request as soon as

as possible - as it is requisite for the conduct of the office - Write the single receipt -

I am Sir
your obt. Servt.
(Signed) Wm. Garrow
H. A. Colr.

Madura
21st July 1802

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To the Quarter Master
2d Regt. H. C. N. Cavalry
Tachenoor

Sir,

The bearers will deliver to your charge the grain alluded to in my letter to you of yesterdays date, with the request in which I have to beg you will be so obliging as to comply.

I have the honor to be
Sir
your very obedt.
humble Servt.
(Signed) Wm. Garrow
H. A. Colr.

Madura
24th July 1802

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To
The Quarter Master
of the 2 Regiment Honble Company
N. Cavalry
Tachenoor

Sir

The General agent having made a further requisition to me for 6 Garce of Gram - I have this day furnished orders to the Tahsildar of the Tremenglum Talook to forward that quantity with every practicable expedition to your care.

I have therefore to request you will be so obliging as to receive charge of the same as it may arrive, granting receipts for it in the manner pointed out in my letter of the 16th Instant

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your very obedient humble servant
(Signed) W. Garrow
H. A. Collector

Madura
24th July 1802

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To

Lieut. Colonel Dyce

&c &c Madura

Sir

I transmit Copy of the list of articles enclosed in your letter of the 3 May last & have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of the one this days date containing register of your servants which due attention shall be paid

I have the honor to be

Sir Your obedient Servant

Madura
25th July 1802

Signed William Garrow

M.A. Collector

149

To

Lieut. Colonel Dyce

&c &c Madura

Sir

As triplicate receipts are necessary for the Stores delivered from this department in to the Charge of the Conductor of Ordnance may I request you will direct him to grant them in [illegible] as it appears from the annexed Copy of his letter, that he is ignorant of the nature of the Document

I have the honor to be

Sir Your Obedient Servant

Madura
25th July 1802

Signed William Garrow

M.A. Collector

To Lieut Col. A Dyce
&c &c

Sir

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of yesterday's date with the [illegible] of your Servants enclosed, and transmit agreeably to your desire copy of the bill furnished by you in May last

I have the honor to be
Sir Yours &c
W. [illegible]
A.A.C.

Madura
26th July 1802

151

To W. Harris Esqr
Coll &c

Sir

Having in obedience to your directions requested Lieut Col. Dyce for a report of his Servants as well as the valuation of the articles lost by him — I have received the accompanying papers which with copies I annex of yesterday's date of that gentleman I have the honor to enclose — and request your instructions what further steps shall be taken regarding the recovery of the property. I have the honor to be &c

W. [illegible]
A.A.C.

Madura
27th July 1802.

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To

[illegible] Esq

&c &c

Sir

I have received charge of the Treasure stated to be despatched in your instructions of the 17th Instant – and in compliance with your orders have discharged the arrears of pay due to the troops & [illegible] Sebundy of the late Government as noted in the margin –

2 Of the [illegible] due to the Mahfuddar [illegible] the sum of [illegible] has been paid – the balance of [illegible] being retained for Sarrarow the Accountant to whom this due & who is reported at present to be at the Presidency

3 Agreeably to the 9th Paragraph of the Chief Secretary's letter I have notified to those who have overdrawn

overdrawn the sum of £129.15.0
the permission of the Right Honble
the Governor in Council for thus
retaining the same — and have
further — published to the
Establishment of the late
Gate his Lordships resolution
of their claims to arrears of
pay —

4 I have the honor to
forward certificates of the
Invalid officers here and
at Madras made out in
the form enclosed in the
Chief Secretary's letter — ~~List~~
~~of the officers also accompany~~

Register of the — by which two will be observed
to be absent either at Trichinopoly
or in their way to Madras
and as no particular de=
=scription of their persons &ca
was taken previously to their
departure from Madras and
have omitted to forward
any Certificates for them
until their arrival at this place —

5 On a reference to
the records of the
Cochanee

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Cacheri I can find no document that contains a request from the officers &c in question for certificates or a refusal to grant them as stated by the Town Major — but even had it been made it is probable they would have been refused from ignorance of the expediency of the measure — since the intention of his Lordship in favour of pension has been but lately notified

I have the honor to be Sir

Your obt Servt

W. G[illegible]

Drafted letter for [illegible] instead

Madura
27 July 1802

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To R Hurdis Esqr
Colr

Sir,

Having no convenient place for the deposit of the Gunpowder belonging to the late Government and as the whole had

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had become damaged and useless I have delivered it into the ~~store and~~ Garrison Stores of this place and taken receipts duplicate of which I have the honor to enclose & to be

Sir

Your most obt

humble servant

W.G.

Madura

27th July 1802

153 —

Lieut. J. Simpson

Quarter Mr. 2 Regiment Cavalry

Sir

I have been favored with yours of 28 Ultimo I hope ere this that my letter of the 18th July has been received and with it the Grain consigned to your Charge.

I shall beg to trouble you to inform me when the Grain arrives at Sachenoor in Order that I may regulate for its greater transmission in future, should the bullock people have loitered on the Road

I am Sir

Your Obedient

Signed, W. Garrow

H. A. Collector

Madura

1st August 1802

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To

T. B. Hurdis Esq
Collector
Dindigul

Sir

I have herewith the honor of forwarding to you the receipts of the ten Poligars of Madura and of the Nautamkars of the several Villages in the talooks for the Amount of rewards for the arms delivered in to the Cacharee & subsequently in to the stores as will appear by the receipts of the Conductors and Commanding officers attached upon which the rewards have been paid

2 With regard to the Poligars, I have followed your instructions of the 4th March for satisfying the Complainants against them, from the Amount allowed as rewards — Statement A will exhibit how this has been done — by which, it will appear that the offsets of some of the Poliagars, were unequal to the demands against them, in consequence of which, I have devided equally amongst the Complainants the sum which was in hand

I have the honor to be
Sir Your very Obedient
humble Servant
(Signed) W. Garrow
H. A. Collector

Madura
4th August 1802

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T. B. Hurdis Esquire
Collector Dindigul

Sir

I beg leave to enclose petition and translati

translate thereof presented by persons here to fore depending on the Charity of the Zomea under the Government of his late Highness the Nabob-

I have been induced to make the reference from the unfortunate representations of this description of people, who have been since the assumption deprived of the charity in question, which has reduced many to great straits, and some to the brink of Starvation - I shall be obliged by your informing me whether any orders have been received from Government for especially regulating the claims of all those who have not been allowed by the Boards letter reinstated in their pension; in order that a final answer may be given to their prayers - and that they may thereby be enabled to look to subsistence from other quarters and would suggest in case those orders may not have been received that a references may be made on the subject -

I have the honor to be
Sir, Your obedient humble
Servant
(Signed) W. Garrow
H. A. Collector

Madura
4 August 1802

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To The Companys Sirkar 2. August 1802

The Petition of Shaik Mahomed &c 87 persons sheweth that we have for many years past enjoyed from the Sirkar our surravamauniums, and have thereby been enabled to maintain our wives and Children and to ask blessings on those who came to Govern us -

That since the Accession of the Companys Government our sunneds and other documents have been separately

received, and examined since which time we have been waiting no answer has as yet been granted to us, When the Country was in the Companys power before they granted it us without hesitation by which means we & our families suffer Great distress, you must therefore have compassion upon us poor people & gave an order that our man nums may be Continued to us, According to Custom Without you we have no other support, you must protect and Continue it to us

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Lieutenant Gwynne

2.d Batt.n 16.th Regiment

Madura

Sir,

The Bearer Sinkeran an Inhabitant of this place and a Carpenter has been with me to Complain of a severe beating inflicted upon him by you with a stick — the marks of which are still on his back.

Had his Conduct been such as to merit punishment, a reference to me was necessary but it appears in the present instance that the complainant had given no just cause of offence. I am sorry therefore to observe that the severe measures above noticed should have been resorted to and have to request that you may refrain from them in future.

I am Sir

your obed.t humble Servant

(Signed) W.m Garrow

act.g H. A. Collector

Madura

4.th August 1802.

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To

Lieutenant J. Simpson

Quart.r Master

2.d Reg.t H. C. Cavalry

Sir,

I have been favored with yours of the 3.d Inst. with the enclosed receipt for the 9 Garce of Gram delivered in at Tachanoor —

If convenient will you be so obliging as Grant me as soon as possible a duplicate and triplicate of the Same receipt — in order to serve as record and to prevent accidents —

I am Sorry that the Talloak people had been reported to have commenced their journey with the additional supply of Six Garce of Gram, previously

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to the receipt of your letter - else they should have been delayed I suppose they are by this time arrived at Tuchanoor

I am Sir,

Your obt. Servant

(Signed) W. Garrow

H. A. C.

Madura
5th. August 1802

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To

S. B. Hurdis Esquire
Collector

Sir,

I herewith the inclose original receipt and letter from the Quarter master of the 2d Regt. Cavalry stationed at Tuchanoor

I have requested that officer to furnish me the receipt in Triplicate which shall be forwarded as soon as received -

I have the honor to be
Sir,
your obt.
humble Servant

(Signed) W. Garrow
H. A. C.

Madura
6th. August 1802

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To Lieut Colonel A Dyce

Commanding Officer

Madura

Sir

I was hopeful ~~that~~ after your letter of the 25th Ultimo – that I should not have been under the disagreeable necessity of writing again to you on the subject of a similar but more serious irregularity –

An affray took place last night in the greater Pagoda – the circumstances of which are detailed in declarations delivered in by some of the parties – copies and translates of the principal of which I beg leave to enclose.

Frequent ~~[illegible]~~ representations have ere this been made to me of excesses of the Sepoys in the Pagodas – but as they were of little consequence and from the disagreeable nature of these offences I have hitherto refrained from forwarding them to you –

But as the spirit of irregularity evinced last night is however in my opinion

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opinion likely to endanger
the tranquillity of the [illegible]
unless speedily suppressed —
I have to call your serious
attention to the present
subject & beg you may
take ~~such~~ ~~a~~ steps for
punishing the offenders
and preventing the ~~occur~~ recur
-rence of ~~similar~~ such outrages.

I further enclose translated
copy of a Declaration given
by a Cutwal's [?] [illegible] who
appears to have been
ill treated in a most
unprovoked manner by
the same people

The Complainants
will identify the persons
of some of the oppressors
and shall attend at
the place you may
appoint for the ~~an~~ investigation
the result of which I
beg you may furnish
the Collector of [illegible]
-tal to whom I have
referred the ~~circumstance~~ subject

I have the honor

to be &c

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In the meantime to preserve the peace - I request a guard may be stationed at this [illegible] Pagoda

I have the honor

P.S. Since writing the above a further complaint has been made of fresh aggressions just committed by the Sepoys in forcibly compelling ~~by beating &~~ ~~kicking~~ the Brahmins ~~of the Pagoda and~~ to go to other places [than] the main guard, by beating & kicking them. ~~I request an early interference~~

The persons thus treated I send with this letter in order that you may be satisfied of the necessity of your speedy interference &c

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To Lieut. Coll. A. Dyce

Commanding

Madura

Sir,

As the Guard at the Goal is at present unnecessary I beg to Suffer that it may be recalled to supply the place of that required in my Letter to you of this days date -

I have the honor to be &c

Madura [illegible] Augt. 1802

(Signed) [illegible] Collr.

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To Lieut. Col. A. Dyce ~~161~~ 56

Commanding

Madura

Sir,

I directed the Bramens &c. to attend at the time you might direct. I hope my absence from Madura might not have been the means of disappointing you in their attendance at the parade last night - they have now been Directed to appear when called for.

I have the honor to be
Sir,
your obedient humble Servant
(Signed) W. Garrow
actg. C.

Madura.
4th August 1802.

To Lieut. J. Simpson

Quarter Master

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2. Regt. Cavalry

Sir

The difference of Measurement in the Company's Mercal an[d] That brought by the Gram people is about one quarter more in the for[m]er - When both both are correct. The Latter is the standard Mercal of the Madura district and being the only one the inhabitants are ac[q]uainted with was forwarded to you.

The Madura Cullum being 50 to a garce - you should ha[ve] received 300 Cullums to form the supply of six Garce.

Dindigul
10th. Augt. 1802.

I am Sir
Your obedt. Servt.
(Signed) W. Gar[row]
a. C.

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